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Ms. Beryl Lipton Muckrock News DEPT MR 70812 411A Highland Ave Somerville, MA 02144

Dear Ms. Lipton:

This is in reference to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA)/Privacy Act (PA) request dated March 25, 2019. Due to a processing error, your request was received in our office on April 26, 2019 and assigned case number DON-NAVY-2019-006255.

Please be advised, while conducting a search for responsive records this office discovered that Director, Navy Staff SECNAV/CNO FOIA (DNS-36) previously received an identical request that was processed under case number, DON-NAVY-2019-005140.

In light of the above determination we are closing your request (DON-NAVY-2019-006255) as a duplicate to DON-NAVY-2019-005140.

For this determination, you have the right to seek dispute resolution services from either the DoD Navy Component FOIA Public Liaison, Mr. Chris Julka, at: <a href="mailto:Christopher.a.julka@navy.mil">Christopher.a.julka@navy.mil</a>, via phone: (703) 697-0031; or by contacting the Office of Government Information Services at: (<a href="https://ogis.archives.gov/">https://ogis.archives.gov/</a>), (202) 741-5770, <a href="mailto:ogis@nara.gov">ogis@nara.gov</a>.

Questions regarding the action this office has taken to process your request may be directed to our FOIA Service Center at (202) 685-0412 or via email at donfoia-pa@navy.mil.

Sincerely,

R. Strong

Deputy Director,

DON FOIA/PA Program Office